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FOREIGN STATISTICAL REPORTS.

BRITISH COLUMBIA—*Vancouver*.—Month of March, 1900. Estimated population, 30,000. Total number of deaths, 37, including enteric fever, 1, and 1 from beriberi.

BRITISH GUIANA—*Demerara*—*Georgetown*.—Month of February, 1900. Estimated population, 36,567. Total number of deaths, 241. No contagious diseases reported.

CANADA—*Manitoba*—*Winnipeg*.—Month of March, 1900. Estimated population, 45,000. Total number of deaths not reported. Two deaths from enteric fever and 1 from measles reported.

CUBA—*Havana*.—Month of March, 1900. Estimated population, 220,000. Total number of deaths, 605, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 4; yellow fever, 4, and 96 from tuberculosis.

FRANCE—*Rouen*.—Month of February, 1900. Estimated population, 112,657. Total number of deaths, 458, including diphtheria, 4; enteric fever, 4; measles, 1, and 55 from phthisis pulmonalis.

GERMANY—*Stuttgart*.—Month of October, 1899. Estimated population, 177,403. Total number of deaths, 157, including diphtheria, 2; scarlet fever, 1, and 9 from phthisis pulmonalis.

GREAT BRITAIN—*England and Wales*.—The deaths registered in 33 great towns in England and Wales during the week ended March 24, 1900, correspond to an annual rate of 21.6 a thousand of the aggregate population, which is estimated at 11,610,296. The highest rate was recorded in Wolverhampton, viz, 36.7, and the lowest in Burnley, viz, 10.7.

London.—One thousand eight hundred and seventeen deaths were registered during the week, including measles, 50; scarlet fever, 3; diphtheria, 36; whooping cough, 49; enteric fever, 7; and diarrhea and dysentery, 17. The deaths from all causes correspond to an annual rate of 20.6 a thousand. In Greater London 2,368 deaths were registered, corresponding to an annual rate of 18.6 a thousand of the population. In the "outer ring" the deaths included 14 from diphtheria, 8 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 1 from smallpox, and 15 from whooping cough.

Bradford.—Two weeks ended March 24, 1900. Estimated population, 291,535. Total number of deaths, 209, including diphtheria, 1; enteric fever, 4; measles, 6; scarlet fever, 8, and 1 from whooping cough.

Ireland.—The average annual death rate represented by the deaths registered during the week ended March 24, 1900, in the 22 principal town districts of Ireland was 29.8 a thousand of the population, which is estimated at 1,062,188. The lowest rate was recorded in Ballymena, viz, 11.3, and the highest in Clonmel, viz, 107.1 a thousand. In Dublin and suburbs 236 deaths were registered, including diphtheria, 1, and 1 from scarlet fever.

Scotland.—The deaths registered in 8 principal towns during the week

ended March 24, 1900, correspond to an annual rate of 22.2 a thousand of the population, which is estimated at 1,606,935. The lowest mortality was recorded in Perth, viz, 11.8, and the highest in Paisley, viz, 25.2 a thousand. The aggregate number of deaths registered from all causes was 686, including diphtheria, 6; measles, 19; scarlet fever, 4, and 17 from whooping cough.

JAPAN—*Formosa—Tamsui*.—Month of January, 1900. Estimated population, 2,797,543. Number of deaths not reported. Two deaths from typhus and 43 from plague are reported.

Month of February, 1900. Thirty-nine deaths from plague reported.

Nagasaki.—Ten days ended March 10, 1900. Estimated population, 131,000. Total number of deaths not reported. One death from diphtheria reported.

RUSSIA—*Riga*.—Month of January, 1900. Estimated population, 282,000. Total number of deaths, 577, including diphtheria, 5; enteric fever, 8; measles, 9; scarlet fever, 13; whooping cough, 6; smallpox, 38, and 56 from phthisis pulmonalis.